

TUNG CHI PING
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Defector Says Peking Counts On Own Spies

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 (AP).—A diplomat who defected from Red China has told a Senate investigator that the Chinese Communist no longer place any trust in the Soviet Union and have their own network of secret agents abroad.

"The Chinese Communists are trying to grab the leadership of the international Communist movement," said Tung Chi-ping, 24, in reciting how they try to influence foreign Communist parties and splinter groups.

Tung held an interview here with J. G. Sourwine, chief counsel of the Senate Internal Security subcommittee, last Aug. 20, long before the ouster of Nikita Khrushchev as Soviet Premier.

Tung told of defecting to the U. S. Embassy in Burundi, Africa, within 18 hours of arriving there last May. He had been working in Peking in the African section of the Commission of Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries, he said.

The subcommittee, in a statement accompanying publication of the interview with Tung, said today that "in 15 years of Communist rule over China only one other diplomat has defected."

Tung pictured Chinese and Soviet Communists as trying to subvert free governments in other countries while fighting among themselves over who would get control if the efforts succeeded.

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He said that \$50,000 — the largest sum he mentioned — was given last year to "the chairman of the Soviet Malagasy Association," by the Chinese Communist Party secretary.

He said a newspaper in Al-
subsidized by the Chinese Com-
munists.